

## Message Text

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TO SECSTATE WASHDC 6686

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EO 11652: GDS

TAGS: PARM, PFOR, ICRC, VN, VS, US

SUBJ: ICRC CONFERENCE ON WEAPONS

REF: STATE 124059 AND PREVIOUS

1. MISSION CONTACTED ICRC JUNE 25 FOR INITIAL REPORT ON RESPONSES FROM GOVERNMENTS TO ICRC NOTE REGARDING SUBJECT CONFERENCE.
2. APART RESPONSES FROM USG AND GRVN, ONLY FOUR OTHER GOVERNMENTS, NAMELY CANADA, GPRC (PEKING) GDRVN (HANOI) AND UNITED KINGDOM HAVE OFFICIALLY REPLIED TO DATE.
3. UNDERSTANDBLY CANADA AND UNITED KINGDOM INDICATED INTENTION TO PARTICIPATE WHILE OPPOSING INVITATION TO AND PARTICIPATION OF PRG. GPRC WILL NOT RPT NOT ATTEND. THEIR NOTE WHILE FAVORING INVITATION TO PRG DID NOT BASE REFUSAL TO ATTEND ON NON-PARTICIPATION OF PRG. GDRVN NOTE, WHICH REPORTEDLY MIDLY WORDED, INDICATED THAT THEY WOULD NOT ATTEND WITHOUT PRG. HANOI NOTE MADE REFERENCE TO TWO EQUAL GOVERNMENTS IN SOUTH VIETNAM AND SUGGESTED THAT ICRC CANNOT POSSIBLY INVITE ONE WITHOUT THE OTHER.

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4. MISSION WILL TAKE FURTHER READINGS WITH ICRC AT WEEKLY

INTERVALS AND REPORT DEVELOPMENTS.

ABRAMS

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## Message Attributes

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